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MRI DETECTION AND STAGING OF PARKINSON'S DISEASE AND DETECTION OF PROGRESSIVE SUPRANUCLEAR PALSY

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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL

Sir:

This is a Request for Continued Examination under 37 C.F.R. §1.114 of the above-identified application.

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1	Consider the on	unentered amendment/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed
2	Consider the	arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on
3. <u>X</u>	Enclosed is/a	re
	<u>X</u>	Amendment (including transmittal)/Reply.
		Information Disclosure Statement (FDS)/2006 MBLANCO 00000021 09997894 PTO-1449 395.00 OF
		Copies of IDS Citations Other (identify): Petition for Five month extension of time including check in the amount of \$1,080.00 for the extension of time fee (five months) for a small entity.

4 \$	Small entity	status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.27 is claimed.
		A verified statement to establish small entity status is enclosed.
		A verified statement to establish small entity status was previously filed and such status is still proper and desired.
5. <u>X</u> A	A check in t	he amount of \$_395.00 covering the RCE filing fee is enclosed.
6. <u>X</u> T		Office is hereby authorized to charge the following fees, or credit any payment, to Deposit Account No. <u>03-3125</u> .
		RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e).
		Extension of time fee (37 C.F.R. §§ 1.136 and 1.17).
	X	Other fees (identify): any other required fees.
7 V 1	Chros conisi	s of this transmittal are enclosed

Respectfully submitted,

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